GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Department for Women, Children, Differently Abled and Senior Citizens - Constitution of the State Fund for Persons with Disabilities under Section 88 of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 – Orders – Issued.

DEPARTMENT FOR WOMEN, CHILDREN, DIFFERENTLY ABLED AND SENIOR CITIZENS (PROG.II)

G.O.MS.No. 3 Dated: 21-01-2025

Read the following: -

1. The Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 (Central Act No.49 of 2016).
2. The AP Rights of Persons with Disabilities Rules, 2023, dt:20.04.2023.

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ORDER:

The Parliament enacted the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 (Central Act No.49 of 2016) in the reference first read above. As per Section 88 of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016, it is mandatory for every State Government to constitute State Fund for Persons with Disabilities.

2. Whereas the Government of Andhra Pradesh prescribed the manner for creation of State Fund for Persons with Disabilities from Rule 48 to 51 in the Andhra Pradesh Rights of Persons with Disabilities Rules, 2023.

3. In exercise of powers conferred under Section 88 of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 Act and AP Rights of Persons with Disabilities Rules, 2023, after careful examination of the matter, Government hereby accords permission to the Director, Welfare of Differently Abled, Transgender and Senior Citizens/Convener and the CEO of the Fund to create State Fund for Persons with Disabilities by opening Savings Bank Account in a Nationalized Bank.

4. The State Fund for Persons with Disabilities shall be utilized and managed in such manner as prescribed by the State Government in the AP Rights of Persons with Disabilities Rules, 2023 and orders issued by the Government from time to time.

5. The Director, Welfare of Differently Abled, Transgender and Senior Citizens shall furnish necessary proposal to the Government for sanction of corpus amount of the State Fund for Persons with Disabilities.

(P.T.O.)

6. The Director, Welfare of Differently Abled, Transgender and Senior Citizens shall take necessary action accordingly.

7. This order is issued with the concurrence of Finance Department, vide their U.O.No. FIN01-49027/131/2018-SO(FMU(WCDLH))-FIN (Computer No. 599384).

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

A SURYA KUMARI
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Director, Welfare of Differently Abled, Transgender and Senior Citizens, A.P., Vijayawada.
Copy to the Finance (FMU(WCDLH)) Department, A.P. Secretariat.

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